State of California Department of Parks and Recreation

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO: Office of Planning and Research **FROM:** Department of Parks and Recreation

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PROJECT TITLE: Percolation Tests

LOCATION: McArthur-Burney Fall Memorial State Park COUNTY: Shasta

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:

Perform percolation tests at Restroom #6 in Pioneer Camp Area at McArthur-Burney Falls Memorial State Park to determine soil suitability to sustain a leach field. Perc tests will be conducted by a qualified engineer and will require six test holes measuring 6-12" in diameter X 2-3' in depth. Test results will determine the new leach field design and location.

A Native American monitor will be present during construction activities associated with the project. Should any project activity result in exposure of archaeological resources, work will cease until the find has been evaluated and an appropriate data treatment program is designed and implemented. Such cultural resource management activities will be conducted by or under the supervision of a California Department of Parks and Recreation qualified archaeologist.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT: California Department of Parks and Recreation

DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Northern Buttes District

EXEMPT STATUS:

□ Categorical Exemption Class: 6 Section: 15306

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:

Project consists of basic data collection and resource evaluation activities, which will not result in a serious or major disturbance to an environmental resource included as "percolation tests" in the Department of Park sand Recreation's list of exempt activities in accordance with CCR §15300.4

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